



MAYSVILLE, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1914.

ONE COPY—ONE CENT.



SHOPPING.

Here's a truth that's pure and pearly,
Fresher than the morning dew;
Do your shopping bright and early—
Do it early and get through.

MARKET STRONGER

Wednesday's Tobacco Amounted To
84,660 Pounds and Prices Fair,
Quality Considered.

Offerings on the local tobacco market
Wednesday exceeded in quantity those
of several days past and while quite a
lot of complaint is heard about the
quality, the prices are considered sat-
isfactory.

Following is a detailed report:

Farmers and Planters.
Pounds sold11,467
High price\$16.25
Low price2.00
Average9.81
Market strong but offerings general-
ly inferior. Special crop—Judge S. C.
Tilton of Robertson county sold 3,305
pounds at an average of \$12.82.

Independent.
Pounds sold12,655
High price\$16.03
Low price2.40
Average10.81
Offerings medium; market spirited.
All sellers well pleased with prices.
Special crop—James Waugh, Gallie
county, Ohio, averaged \$14.20.

Growers.
Pounds sold7,375
High price\$16.09
Low price3.11
Average10.16
Market strongest of the season.

Central.
Pounds sold18,190
High price\$15.25
Low price2.00
Average10.16
Market active; offerings mainly com-
mon to medium.

Amazon.
Pounds sold6,985
High price\$14.00
Low price2.00
Average10.43

Home.
Pounds sold27,905
Market strong; offerings inferior.

Jackson's Colored Saxophone Or-
chestra will furnish the music for the
holiday dance to be held in Ripley, O.,
Tuesday evening, December 29.

Toys and Dolls at John O'Keefe's.

SMITH-PORTER

Popular Young Maysville Couple To Be
Married In This City Tomorrow
Afternoon.

Miss Katie Porter, youngest daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Porter of West
Second street, and Mr. William E.
Smith, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs.
John Smith of Forest avenue, will be
united in marriage tomorrow afternoon
at 2:45 o'clock at the residence of Rev.
J. M. Lital in Wall street. Imme-
diately following the ceremony the
happy young couple will leave for a
short bridal trip to Cincinnati.

Mr. Smith has furnished a handsome
flat in West Second street, where he
and his bride will be at home after
December 25.

Miss Porter is one of Maysville's
most attractive young ladies, while Mr.
Smith is a prosperous and successful
business man of this city.

The Ledger joins with their many
friends in wishing them a long and
happy voyage on the sea of matrimony.

WARMER

This Morning But Cold Enough—Three
Degrees Above Zero.

When Maysvillians arose from their
downy couches this morning and look-
ed out of their windows they saw Old
Winter at his best—or worst—for dur-
ing the night that great nature artist,
Jack Frost, had taken the world for his
canvas and portrayed thereon such an
eternally as only he can do. All out of
doors was wreathed in a delicate coat-
ing of white; twig and tree and walls
and houses and hills wore the immac-
ulate garb of the merry sleighbell-sea-
son—midwinter.

Beautiful to the eye—that's all.
The thermometer this morning reg-
istered three degrees above zero, nine
degrees warmer than Wednesday morn-
ing.

As this severe weather is a double
curse to the poor and afflicted, may it
please God to be merciful to the suf-
fering.

MASON COUNTY COURT.

A paper bearing date of August 7,
1914, and purporting to be the last
will and testament of Laura Jones,
colored, deceased, was produced in
court and filed. The due execution of
said paper was proven by the testi-
mony of George W. Adair and Thomas
Sickerton, attesting witnesses thereto,
and was admitted to probate. James
Jones qualified as executor of said
Laura Jones without surety, as was re-
quested in the will.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the For-
est Avenue M. E. church will meet
Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock with
Mrs. A. F. Felts of East Second street.

CITY SHOCKED.

By the Suicide of One of Its Oldest and
Most Beloved Citizens, Mr. Edward
Myall

While Suffering From Acute Neuralgia, He Shot
Himself Through the Head

When the report began to be cir-
culated about 10 o'clock yesterday morn-
ing that Mr. Edward Myall, one of the
best known and most highly respected
citizens of our city, had shot himself
with suicidal intent, there were many
who refused to believe it, but an in-
vestigation proved the report only too
true.

Mr. Myall had been confined to his
home since Sunday, suffering with a
severe cold and acute neuralgia. He
had been subject to these attacks of
neuralgia for many years, but this one,
it seemed, caused him more intense
pain than usual. He was apparently
resting fairly well in bed when his wife
left him about 9 o'clock to attend to
some household duties and when she re-
turned he had left the room. The
supposition is that one of those severe
attacks came upon him suddenly and so
crazed him that he sprang from his
bed and partly dressing himself, ran
upstairs, grabbed a revolver and went
out onto an enclosed porch, where he
was found with a bullet hole in his
right temple.

Mr. Myall was born in Stratford-on-
Avon, England, Shakespeare's home,
October 30, 1834, and came to this coun-
try when 18 years of age, settling at
Maysville, where for many years he
conducted a wagon shop, and gained for
himself the reputation of being the
best wagon maker in this section of
Kentucky.

He came to Maysville about 36 years
ago, and engaged in the undertaking
and buggy business with the late Sam-
J. Riley, which business he successfully
conducted until about 10 years ago,
when he retired.

He is survived by his wife and one
son, Mr. E. C. Myall, and one daughter,
Mrs. W. W. Ball, both of this city.
The funeral will be held Friday morn-
ing at 10 o'clock from the residence of
Mr. W. W. Ball. Services by Rev. A.
F. Stahl of the Christian church, of
which Mr. Myall was a member for
many years.

The shocking death of this good citi-
zen is too heartrending to dwell upon.
His end is most distressing, but God
will pardon his obedient son, for he
knew not what he did.

May the sod lie lightly over Edward
Myall.

SYLVESTER A. LONG

Delighted Large Audience At the High
School Last Evening With
Interesting Lecture.

The cold weather kept a good many
people away from the lecture given by
Sylvester A. Long at the high school
auditorium last evening, but despite
that fact a goodly number were in at-
tendance, and they felt doubly paid for
going.

Mr. Long's theme, "Lightning and
Toothpicks," was full of thought and
mirth. It was a practical discussion of
the universal reign of law which is
made enduring by love and appropri-
ated through habit. It was a real con-
tribution to advanced thinking on life
problems.

Interesting, eloquent, scholarly, Mr.
Long kept his audience with him at all
times and it was generally conceded
that he was one of the best lecturers
ever heard in this city.

It is quite certain that the Lyceum
Board will make no mistake by having
Mr. Long back in Maysville next sea-
son.

MEETING OF ACADEMY OF MEDICINE.

The Academy of Medicine met last
evening at the Free Dispensary. Inter-
esting papers were presented by Dr. A.
H. Quigley on the "Relation of Inter-
na. Secretions to Carbo-hydrate Meta-
bolism," and Dr. J. H. Samuels on the
new serum treatment for epilepsy. Pa-
pers next week by Dr. A. O. Taylor
and Dr. W. H. Taulbee.

GULLEY-M'KEE.

Walter Gulley, age 32, and Miss
Ethel McKee, aged 34, a Fleming coun-
ty couple, were married Wednesday
afternoon at the County Clerk's office
by Squire Bauer.

The C. & O. pay car will arrive Mon-
day to gladden the hearts of their em-
ployees here—just in time for Christ-
mas.

Now do the wise thing by seeing
the stock of Dolls and Toys and buy-
ing early at O'Keefe's.

Coal, West Virginia Lump Coal

It has been the General Opinion that GOOD COAL could not be
had from the Railroads. You can get any grade of COAL you want
by Rail. We have started with the BEST that can be had from the
MINES and we will always sell the BEST GRADES. We guarantee
your Satisfaction. Remember, you can get the BEST from us just as
CHEAP as you can get a cheaper grade from others. A Trial ORDER
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and we have the Largest and Best Equipped Planing MILL in North-
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GRIM REAPER

Claims Miss Cornelia Lamb, Who Pass-
ed To Her Final Rest Yes-
terday Noon.

Miss Cornelia Lamb, one of Mays-
ville's oldest and most respected citi-
zens, died yesterday noon at the home
of her sister, Mrs. Rachael Lamb, in
East Third street, her death being due
to the infirmities that go with old age.
She was born at Washington, this coun-
try, on February 19, 1825, and would
have been 90 years of age had she
lived until her next birthday. For
more than 20 years she has lived in
this city, and notwithstanding the fact
that she has been an invalid for the
last few years, her bright and cheerful
disposition and her kindly Christian
character had won for her a host of
friends and neighbors who mourn her
death.

Deceased is survived by two sis-
ters—Mrs. Rachael Lamb of this city,
and Mrs. Bettie Dobyns of the county.
She also has a nephew in this city,
Judge John L. Whitaker.

The funeral will take place Friday
morning at 10 o'clock from her late
home in West Third street, with ser-
vices by Rev. A. F. Stahl of the Chris-
tian church. Interment in the Wash-
ington Baptist cemetery.
Please omit flowers.

Oysters, Cranberries, Figs, Dates,
Fruits and Nuts at John O'Keefe's.

A six-day Christmas recess was pro-
posed in a House resolution.

ANOTHER SMALL FIRE.

The alarm of fire yesterday after-
noon about 5:15 o'clock from District
64 was caused by a small blaze at the
home of Miss Anna Bell Ward in East
Second street. The water pipes had
become frozen, and in trying to thaw
them out with torches, the floor under
the bath room caught fire. The only
damage done was the tearing up of the
floor in the bath room. This is the
third alarm that has been answered in
three days and it is keeping the boys on
the jump.

Christmas presents in Mandolins,
Guitars, Violins and Music Stands at
O'Keefe's.

D. HECHINGER & CO. Maysville's Biggest and Best
Clothing and Shoe Store

IN ANTICIPATION OF THE CHARITY BALL AND OTHER DANCES FOLLOWING IT, WE HAVE
PROVIDED FOR YOU AN ELEGANT LINE OF DRESS SUITS, WHITE AND FANCY DRESS VESTS,
DANCING PUMPS, GLOVES, NECKWEAR, DRESS SHIRTS AND ALL MANNER OF ACCESSORIES
TO A GENTLEMAN'S DRESS WEAR.

WE ARE GRATIFIED THAT MANY OF OUR PEOPLE ARE COMING IN AND BUYING CHRIST-
MAS GIFTS. REMEMBER, ALL YOU BUY HERE IS PRACTICAL, USEFUL AND AT THE SAME TIME
QUITE ORNAMENTAL.

SEE OUR BEAUTIFUL BATH ROBES AND HOUSE COATS

DON'T OVERLOOK OUR STOCK OF LEATHER GOODS. WE ARE SELLING LOTS IN THIS DE-
PARTMENT.

D. HECHINGER & CO.

Two Plums From the Dress Goods Tree

Fifty-four-inch, fine even twill, firmly woven mement in
African brown with a dash of color. Reduced from \$1.75 to \$1.25.
British toupe faille with an invisible stripe, 42 inches wide.
Reduced from 85c to 59c.

Each item is a convincing demonstration of our unusual
values. Send Santa Claus here for dress goods where he will find
the largest stock in town.

GIFT TOWELS

Any towel in the lot will be treasured by a woman who loves
pretty things for her home. Designs new and are attractive.
Turkish, damask and huck. Some lace trimmed, others embroid-
ered. 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.

SEEKERS OF GLOVES

For gifts should see our splendid stock in kid for women. Full
color and size range.

FUR VALUES

If Santa Claus desires the maximum value in furs and wants
to know what he is buying, he can safely come here for we sell
furs by their real names for just what they are.
Children's sets \$1.25 to \$5. Women's sets, \$7 1/2 to \$25.
Muffs, \$2 1/2 to \$15.

UMBRELLAS—SPECIAL \$1

Yarn dyed black gloria cloth, tape edged. Plain, natural
wood handles or silver trimmed. For men and women.

INTIMATE GIFTS

For women to give each other. In Christmas boxes, Night
Gowns \$1, Corset Covers, 50c, Aprons 50c, Boudoir Caps, 50c,
Blouses \$1, Boudoir Slippers, 50c.

1852

HUNT'S

1914

It's a Long, Long Way to Tipperary
But a Short Time to Christmas Merry

Don't this beautiful snowy weather put the Christmas spirit into you? This should
indeed be a glorious Christmas, for peace reigns supreme over our shores. Make
someone awfully happy by giving

A NEW WARM COAT \$4.98 TO \$25.
A WARM WOOL SWEATER \$1 TO \$6.
A BOX OF "HOLEPROOF" SOX \$1.50.
A PAIR OF GLOVES 25c TO \$1.50.
A PAIR OF BLANKETS 75c TO \$7.50.

A BLANKET ROBE \$1.49.
A BLACK MUFF \$3.98 TO \$15.
A PAIR OF "KAYSER" SILK HOSE \$1.50.
A PRETTY RUG 98c TO \$15.
A Dainty NIGHT GOWN \$1.25.

"DOLLY DIMPLE" WITH A
HAND-MADE HAT IS \$1.49

OUR
REPUTATION
Goes with
EVERY PACKAGE

Merg Bros
MAYSVILLE, KY.

The STORE
that LEADS
and
SUCCEEDS

DELICIOUS "MELBA"
TOILET WATER

Just a Few

Christmas Suggestions

Glance Down the Line

Leggings
Robes
Auto Shawls
Flash Lights
Safety Razors
Shaving Sticks
Pocketbooks
Bill Books
Manicure Sets
Scissors Sets
English Jewel Cases
English Riding Birds
Pocket Knives
Ice Skates
Velocipedes
Toy Autos
Express Wagons
Coasters

Irish Mail
Ingersoll Watches
Casseroles
Double Boilers
Coffee Percolators
Bicycles
Goat Wagons
Military Brushes
Roger's 1847 Silver Knives,
Forks and Spoons
Oyster Forks
Salad Forks
Berry Spoons
Butter Knives
Soup Ladles
Carving Sets
Aluminum Knives and Forks
(Something new.)

Come and see the beautiful line of English goods we are
selling for a mere song. Beautiful Pocketbooks, Driving
Bridles, Halters, Jewel Cases, Bill Books, Dog-Leads, Dog
Collars, etc., etc. It's a rare treat just to see them.

YOURS FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

MIKE BROWN,

THE
SQUARE DEAL MAN.

CHOCOLATES AND BONBONS

packed in one-pound Fancy Boxes. These are nice for gifts and very con-
venient for mailing.

The Candy is extra quality. ONLY 25c A BOX.
Some stores ask you 40c for Candy not as good.